

**REMARKS**

Microorganism Deposit

The present application recites on page 19, lines 1-3, "A deposit of pMAC117 cloned in E. coli has been made at the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC), 10801 University Blvd., Manassas, VA 20110 under accession number 53408." The undersigned states that this microorganism will be irrevocably and without restriction or condition released to the public upon the issuance of a patent. In the event that ATCC either cannot furnish samples thereof or can furnish samples thereof but the deposit has become contaminated or has lost its capability to function as described in the specification, the undersigned in my capacity as attorney for the applicant states that viable samples will be provided by applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

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